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Tennessee Corn Acreage Up from Last Year

Soybeans planted in Tennessee were estimated at 1.65 million acres, unchanged from 2020. Acres harvested for grain, at 1.62 million acres, was unchanged from a year ago. U.S. soybean planted area for 2021 was estimated at 87.6 million acres, up 5% from last year. Area for harvest, at 86.7 million acres, is up 5% from 2020.

Acreage planted to corn in Tennessee was estimated at 1,050,000 acres, up 180,000 acres from 2020. Acres harvested for grain was estimated at 980,000 acres, up 155,000 acres from last year. The U.S. corn planted for all purposes in 2021 was estimated at 92.7 million acres, up 2% from last year. Growers expect to harvest 84.5 million acres for grain, up 2% from last year.

Upland cotton acreage in Tennessee was estimated at 310,000, up 30,000 acres from 2020. The U.S. total upland cotton acreage is estimated at 11.6 million acres, down 3% from the previous year.

Farmers in Tennessee intend to set an estimated 3,000 acres of burley tobacco for harvest. This is 200 acres above the 2020 level. Dark fire-cured tobacco acreage set was estimated at 6,600 acres, up 800 acres from the previous year. Dark air-cured tobacco acreage was estimated at 4,300 acres, up 600 from a year ago. Burley producing states acreage for harvest was estimated at 43,450 acres, slightly above last year.

Winter wheat seeded acreage in Tennessee was estimated at 400,000 acres, 100,000 acres above the previous year. Acreage harvested for grain was estimated at 320,000 acres, 90,000 acres above 2020. The U.S. winter wheat planted area was estimated at 33.7 million acres, up 11% from 2020. Area harvested for grain was forecast at 25.4 million acres, up 11% from last year.

Alfalfa hay acreage in Tennessee was estimated at 21,000 acres, up 2,000 from the 2020 crop. All other hay was estimated at 1.71 million acres, down 20,000 from a year ago. The U.S. all hay acreage was estimated at 51.5 million acres, down 1% from 2020.

Planted and Harvested Acres, June 2021 - Tennessee and United States

	Tennessee				United States			
	Planted ¹		Harvested ¹		Planted ¹		Harvested ¹	
	2020 <i>(1,000 acres)</i>	2021 <i>(1,000 acres)</i>	2020 <i>(1,000 acres)</i>	2021 ² <i>(1,000 acres)</i>	2020 <i>(1,000 acres)</i>	2021 <i>(1,000 acres)</i>	2020 <i>(1,000 acres)</i>	2021 ² <i>(1,000 acres)</i>
Corn	870	1,050	825	980	90,819	92,692	82,467	84,495
Cotton ⁴	280	310	275	--	12,092	11,719	8,275	--
Soybeans	1,650	1,650	1,620	1,620	83,084	87,555	82,318	86,720
Wheat, Winter ³	300	400	230	320	30,415	33,683	23,024	25,443
Hay:								
All	--	--	1,749	1,731	--	--	52,238	51,537
Alfalfa	--	--	19	21	--	--	16,230	16,123
Other, All	--	--	1,730	1,710	--	--	36,008	35,414
	<i>(acres)</i>	<i>(acres)</i>	<i>(acres)</i>	<i>(acres)</i>	<i>(acres)</i>	<i>(acres)</i>	<i>(acres)</i>	<i>(acres)</i>
Tobacco:								
All	--	--	12,300	13,900	--	--	198,060	224,600
Burley	--	--	2,800	3,000	--	--	43,310	43,450
Dark Fire-Cured	--	--	5,800	6,600	--	--	14,350	15,950
Dark Air-Cured	--	--	3,700	4,300	--	--	9,800	11,000

¹ Commodities with planted or harvested estimates not available are denoted by "--". ² Forecasted. ³ Includes area planted in preceding fall. ⁴U.S. acreage includes American Pima cotton.